IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

AND
IN ITS GENERAL AND INHERENT JURISDICTION
F.A. PETITION NO. 2 OF 2005

In the matter of the Guardians and Wards Act, 1890;
AND

In the matter of the appointment of guardian of the person of female minor BELINDA an inmate of Holy Cross Home for Babies, Amravati, (Camp)-444 602.

Mr. Jan Pieter Van Der Horst and
Mrs. A. Van Der Horst Wijnalda .. Petitioner.

Mr.R. Kappor for the petitioner.
M. Kajle, AGP for state/petitioner present.
Mr. O. Hari with Ms. P. Soni for ICSW.

CORAM: S.U. KAMDAR, J.

DATE : 19TH JANUARY, 2005.

P.C :

1. I have perused the documents which are filed alongwith the petition as well as interviewed the petitioner.

2. Insofar as the present case is concerned, the girl is of two and half yeas and is proposed to be adopted by the petitioners. The petitioner has already adopted two children. The financial condition of the petitioner is satisfactory. I have also perused the other documents which are annexed to the petition as well as the surrender documents.

3. In view of the aforesaid submissions, I make the petition absolute in terms of prayer clause (a), (b) and (c).

4. The petitioners are directed to execute a Bond in favour of the Prothonotary and Senior Master in the sum of Rs.60,000/- (Rupees Sixty Thousand Only).

5. The petitioners are further directed to pay a sum of Rs.2,500/- (Rupees Two Thousand Five Hundred only) to the said Indian Council of Social Welfare, Mumbai towards the costs of the petition.

SD/-

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